

**CONTINUATION/DIVISIONAL APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

(Rule 53(b) Continuation or Divisional)

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This requests a ☐ Continuation or ☒ Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of prior application:

Appl. No.:

10/123,174

Group Art Unit:

2833

Filed on:

April 17, 2002

Examiner:

Edwin A. Leon

Entitled:

Pliable Connector And Manufacturing Method Thereof

- ☒ 1. The entire disclosure of the pending, prior application is hereby incorporated by reference.
- ☐ 2. Submitted herewith is a copy of the complete prior application as filed.
- ☐ 3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior nonprovisional application, 37 CFR 1.53(b)(1). **DELETE** the following inventor(s): \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☒ 4. Submitted herewith is a copy of the signed Oath/Declaration from the prior application.
- ☒ 5. Small entity status was established in the prior application, and is still proper and desired.
- ☐ 6. A \_\_\_\_\_ month Petition for Extension of Time is filed concurrently in the prior application.
- ☒ 7. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.
- ☒ 8. A check in the amount of \$ 375.00 is submitted herewith.
- ☒ 9. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application is a ☐ Continuation  
☒ Division of nonprovisional application serial number 10/123,174 filed April 17, 2003. --
- ☐ 10. Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_\_\_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. At least one independent claim is retained.
- ☒ 11. The prior application is assigned of record to: Akira Technology Co., Ltd.
- ☐ 12. Priority is claimed based on each foreign application so listed in the Oath/Declaration and a certified copy of each was filed in U.S. application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ 13. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- ☐ 14. Other: \_\_\_\_\_.

## THE FILING FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

Basic Fee:

\$750.00

Total Claims:

5

- 20 =

X \$18 =

Independent Claims:

1

- 3 =

X \$84 =

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Multiple Dependent Claim  
(add \$280.00):

Subtotal:

\$750.00

50% Reduction if Small Entity  
Status:

\$375.00

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Total:

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